GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
AGRICULTURE
LOK SABHA

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DEVELOPMENT OF FISHERIES
CHADA SURESH REDDY

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

the steps taken to give various incentives to coastal States for development of fisheries?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI HUKUMDEO NARAYAN YADAV)

Various schemes such as Development of Marine Fisheries; Fishing Harbours at Major and Minor Ports; Development of Freshwater Aquaculture; Integrated Coastal Aquaculture; National Welfare of Fishermen, etc. are implemented for fisheries development in different States/UTs including Coastal States.The conference of State Ministers in charge of Fisheries of Coastal States/UTs was also held in September, 2002 to deliberate on important issues concerning fisheries sector for overall development of the sector during Tenth Plan.